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=> s 15 and 19
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L11
=> dup rem 110
PROCESSING COMPLETED FOR L10
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         786234 S (PREMATURE (W) LABOR) OR FETAL OR FETUS
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          11838 S (PREMATURE (W) LABOR)
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         19952 S FREE (W) RADICAL (W) SCAVENGER
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=> s 114 and labr
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=> s 114 and labor
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\Rightarrow 113 and labor
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=> s 113 and labor
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=> s 113 and (premature (w) labor)
              7 L13 AND (PREMATURE (W) LABOR)
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=> d 118 py au ti so ab 1-30
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L18
PΥ
     Buhimschi, I. (1); Weiner, C. P. (1)
ΑU
     Glutathione supplementation increase fetal survival
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     after endotoxin administration in a murine model.
     American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology, (Jan., 2000) Vol. 182, No.
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      1 Part 2, pp. S44.
     Meeting Info.: 20th Annual Meeting of the Society for Maternal-Fetal
     Medicine. Miami Beach, Florida, USA January 31-February 05, 2000 Society
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      Tabacova, Sonia (1); Balabaeva, Liudmila; Little, Ruth E. (1)
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     Maternal exposure to exogenous nitrogen compounds and complications of
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      pregnancy.
      Archives of Environmental Health, (Sept.-Oct., 1997) Vol. 52, No. 5, pp.
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      341 - 347.
      ISSN: 0003-9896.
      Increased lipid peroxidation and reduced antioxidant activity have been
 AΒ
      reported with pregnancy complications. Given that exogenous oxidants
      stimulate formation of lipid peroxides, the authors investigated the
      relationship between exposure to nitrogen-oxidizing species and pregnancy
      complications and took into account markers of antioxidant and oxidant
      status. The study sample included pregnant women who were from an area
      polluted by oxidized nitrogen compounds. Methemoglobin, a biomarker of
      individual exposure, was determined, as were measures of
      oxidant/antioxidant status, including glutathione balance and
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lipid peroxide levels. Only 10 women experienced normal pregnancies. The most common complications were anemia (67%), threatened abortion/premature labor (33%), and signs of preeclampsia (23%). Methemoglobin was elevated significantly in all three conditions, compared with normal pregnancies. Reduced:total glutathione decreased, whereas lipid peroxide levels increased. These results suggest that maternal exposure to environmental oxidants can increase the risk of pregnancy complications through stimulation of the formation of cell-damaging lipid peroxides and from a decrease in maternal antioxidant reserves.

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- AU Grmadzinska, Jolanta; Wasowidz, Wojciech; Krasomski, Grzegorz; Broniarczyk, Danuta; Andrijewski, Michal; Rydzynski, Konrad; Wolkanin, Piotr
- TI Selenium levels, thiobarbituric acid-reactive substance concentrations and **glutathione** peroxidase activity in the blood of women with gestosis and imminent **premature labor**
- Analyst (Cambridge, United Kingdom) (1998), 123(1), 35-40 CODEN: ANALAO; ISSN: 0003-2654
- The aim of the study was to investigate antioxidant status, monitored by AΒ selenium and thiobarbituric acid-reactive substance concns. in blood plasma, and glutathione peroxidase activity in erythrocytes and blood plasma in women with gestosis (n = 26), imminent premature labour (n= 48) and normal pregnancy (n = 23) during 19-38 wk of pregnancy. Selenium concns. in blood plasma were significantly higher in women with pathol. pregnancies than in normal pregnancy(45.5 \cdot +-. 10.5 \cdot mu.g/L, p MO.01 and 44.1 .+-. 11.6 .mu.g/L, p MO.05 vs. 38.6 .+-. 8.3 .mu.g/L, resp.). In all groups of pregnant women Se concns. were extremely low as compared with non-pregnant females. Glutathione peroxidase (GSH-Px) activity in blood plasma was significantly higher in complicated pregnancies than in healthy ones. There were no significant differences in thiobarbituric acid-reactive substance concns. between all groups of pregnant women. Statistically significant correlations were found between blood plasma Se concns. and $\overline{GSH-Px}$ activity in healthy pregnant (r = 0.53, p <0.01), imminent premature labour (r = 0.39, p .ltoreq.0.01), and non-pregnant females (r = 0.56, p.ltoreq.0.001).
- L18 ANSWER 4 OF 7 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2002 ACS
- PY 1995
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- IN Stamler, Jonathan; Loscalzo, Joseph; Slivka, Adam; Simon, Daniel; Brown, Robert; Drazen, Jeffrey
- TI S-Nitrosothiols as smooth muscle relaxants and their therapeutic uses
- SO U.S., 35 pp. Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 804,665, abandoned. CODEN: USXXAM
- S-nitrosothiols exert a potent relaxant effect, mediated both by guanylate cyclase, and a cGMP-independent mechanism, upon non-vascular smooth muscle. Such types of smooth muscle include airway, gastrointestinal, bladder, uterine and corpus cavernosal. Thus, S-nitrosothiols may be used for the treatment or prevention of disorders assocd. With relaxation of smooth muscle, such as airway obstruction, and other respiratory disorders, bladder dysfunction, premature labor and impotence. Addnl., S-nitrosothiols may be used to alleviate smooth muscle contraction and spasm, and thus facilitate procedures involving diagnostic instrumentation, such as endoscopy, bronchoscopy, laparoscopy and

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- PΥ 1993 1995
- 1993 Stamler, Jonathan; Loscalzo, Joseph; Slivka, Adam; Simon, Daniel; Brown, ΙN Robert; Drazen, Jeffrey
- S-nitrosothiols as smooth muscle relaxants and therapeutic uses thereof TΙ
- PCT Int. Appl., 73 pp. SO
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- PΥ 1995
- Farhat A.; Picciano M.F.; Lammi-Keefe C.J.; DeSilva H.N. ΑU
- Evidence for altered selenium status in pregnant women with diabetes. ΤI
- Journal of Trace Elements in Experimental Medicine, (1995) 8/1 (29-39). SO ISSN: 0896-548X CODEN: JTEMEM
- The possible relationship between selenium status and gestational diabetes AB was investigated. Selenium concentration in maternal and umbilical cord plasma and glutathione peroxidase activity (Se-GPx) in maternal plasma were measured in 40 pregnant women. Subjects included pregnant women with gestational diabetes (GD, n = 12), insulin dependent diabetes (ID, n = 11), and controls (ND, n = 17). Both groups of pregnant women with diabetes delivered early compared to control women (GD, 37.2; ID, 35.5 and ND, 39.7 wk; P < 0.0001). Values for maternal plasma selenium and Se-GPx in both the GD (1.26 .mu.mol/L and 1.55 mU/mg protein, respectively) and ID (1.37 .mu.mol/L and 1.81 mU/mg protein, respectively) groups were, respectively, about 55 and 65% lower compared to those of the ND group (2.04 .mu.mol/L; P < 0.0001 and 2.77 mU/mg protein; P < 0.0001, respectively). Gestational age at delivery did not influence indices of selenium status in the three groups. Cord plasma selenium concentration did not differ among the three groups (GD, 1.25; ID, 1.37 and ND, 1.69 nmol/L; P < 0.09). Maternal plasma selenium was positively correlated with maternal plasma Se-GPx (r = 0.79; P < 0.0001). Cord plasma selenium concentration was 17% lower compared to maternal plasma in the control group (P < 0.05). Results show that diabetes, whether long standing or of gestational origin, alters indices of maternal selenium metabolism during pregnancy.
- L18 ANSWER 7 OF 7 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 2002 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.
- PΥ 1993
- Narahara H.; Johnston J.M. ΑU
- Smoking and preterm labor: Effect of a cigarette smoke extract on the TI secretion of platelet-activating factor-acetylhydrolase by human decidual macrophages.

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- Objective: Maternal smoking in pregnancy is associated with a significant AB increase in the incidence of preterm labor, premature rupture of membranes, and premature delivery. Our aim was to clarify the cause underlying this association. Study design: The effect of cigarette smoke extract on the secretion of platelet-activating factor-acetylhydrolase by both decidual macrophages and peripheral blood monocytes and macrophages was investigated. Results: The cigarette smoke extract inhibited the platelet-activating factor-acetylhydrolase secretion by these cells. The inhibitory effect of cigarette smoke extract on the secretion was a hundred times more potent compared with its direct effect on the plasma enzyme. Glutathione and dithiothreitol blocked the inhibition, whereas catalase or superoxide dismutase did not. Nicotine and cotinine have no effect on the secretion. Conclusion: The presence in cigarette smoke extract of a potent inhibitor(s) of platelet-activating factor-acetylhydrolase secretion by decidual macrophages may provide an insight into the pathogenesis of preterm labor, premature rupture of membranes, and premature delivery in women who smoke during pregnancy.